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SUBJECT: TURKISH/UN NARCOTICS CONTROL PROGRAM

1. UN ANNOUNCED APRIL 29 SIGNATURE BY TURKEY AND UNFDAC OF AGREEMENTS UNDER WHICH FUND WILL FURNISH ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE IN AMOUNT OF \$2.6 MILLION TO BOLSTER TURKEY'S NARCOTICS CONTROL SYSTEM.

2. ONE AGREEMENT PROVIDES FROM INSTALLATION AT COST OF \$1.9 MILLION OF MULTISPECTRAL PHOTOGRAPHY SYSTEM TO IDENTIFY ILLICIT OPIUM POPPY CULTIVATION. MOPS IS TO BE PROVIDED BY SYSTEMS PLANNING CORPORATION WITH WHICH FORMAL AGREEMENT HAS BEEN NEGOTIATED AND IS SCHEDULED BE SIGNED GENEVA MAY 12.

3. SECOND AGREEMENT PROVIDES ASSISTANCE IN AMOUNT OF \$700,000 FOR (A) EXTENSION OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM TO USAK AND INSTALLATION RADIO TELETYPE CONNECTION BETWEEN AKARA HEADQUARTERS AND AFYON/USAK; (B) TRAINING OF ADDITIONAL TURKISH PERSONNEL IN FIELDS OF UNCLASSIFIED

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SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND LAW ENFORCEMENT; AND (C)

PROVISION OF TRANSPORT AND OTHER FACILITIES TO RELEVANT TURKISH AGENCIES TO ENSURE BEST CONTROL PROCEDURES.

4. EMBLAD IS PROCEEDING TURKEY APRIL 30 TO DISCUSS VARIOUS ASPECTS UN/TURKISH PROGRAM, INCLUDING MATTERS RELATING IMPLEMENTATION OF NEW AGREEMENTS. HE WILL BE JOINED BY KATZ (FOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS), DND OFFICIAL BAGGOTT (FOR MATTERS CONCERNING ENFORCEMENT TRAINING AND EQUIPMENT) AND SPC OFFICIAL WADSWORTH (FOR MOPS).

5. TEXTS OF NEW AGREEMENTS AND UN PRESS RELEASE CONCERNING THEM HAVE BEEN POUCHED. DALE

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